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Mr. Jim Dancy  
Springfield Fire Department  
530 North Kimbrough  
Springfield, MO 65806

Dear Mr. Dancy:

This is concerning the drum of unknown material which was abandoned at 567 South Warren in Springfield, Missouri. The property is now owned by Ms. Stella Sheek.

I have discussed this matter again with Mr. Kevin Wideman of the Department's Laboratory Services Program (LSP) and was advised that the lab presently does not have the money to perform additional sampling and that they are presently down during a relocation. He indicated that the best they would normally do would be to perform field tests similar to what has already been performed by Sunbelt.

Mr. Wideman also advised me that based on what was on the label on the drum and the results of the field testing, the material in the drum could not be the original material. This does not mean it could not have had other material placed into it, however.

It appears that the Department of Natural Resources can be of little more assistance in this matter.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

SOUTHWEST REGIONAL OFFICE

Charles L. Kroeger  
Environmental Specialist

cc: Mr. Randy Layman, Springfield Sanitary Services  
Ms. Stella Sheek



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